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April 2009

ISSUE: Police giving away booster seats.

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 04/02/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: 9 out of 10 booster seats are not properly secured or installed, and to avoid accidents and create conscience, the Police Department has organized classes where dozens of Hispanic Families received information and new seats for their children. This program was in conjunction with the Metro Police Hispanic Resources, Family Services Center and SAVE KIDS.

ISSUE: NV Energy to increase 16.7%

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 04/06/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: Nevada Energy proposed in front of a public hearing a plan to increase 16.7% on the current rate.

The Economic situation is a key factor in this issue, and for this very same reason, it went up by almost 30%, families are seeking help to pay their power bills thru a program that NV Energy offers to low-income families.

The increase is proposed to start in September to help people not to overpay in the intense heat months.

After 2 hearings, it is expected that the State Commission makes a decision of how much and when the consumers will see a change in their bills.

ISSUE: New CHASE Help Center

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 04/08/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: CHASE has opened a new branch in Las Vegas to offer personalized help for people who are facing mortgage difficulties.

People who are in foreclosure process now have a center where they can receive help, people want to keep their property and don't know what to do.

According to Chase officials, people who are eligible will be able to fix their problems quicker, instead of waiting for weeks or months.

This new center offers bilingual personnel to help Hispanics fill the necessary forms.

ISSUE: Senior Crime Prevention

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 04/16/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: North Las Vegas Police in conjunction with other entities organized an event to promote the prevention of senior citizens crimes.

According to authorities, crimes against seniors are at an alarming rate, mostly constituting of frauds and robberies, and it keeps escalating, due to thousands of retired people come to Vegas every month to start a new life.

On the 10th annual event of senior crime prevention, more than 300 people showed up to receive information on how to prevent fall prey, and also to know where to go in this situation.

ISSUE: ONSTAR offers new technology

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 04/20/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: Auto theft in Las Vegas have decreased by 30% in comparison to other years, Metro Police are utilizing different tactics to catch crooks.

Starting September, all 2009 vehicles of the GM brand will have a device to let the authorities decelerate the engine in case of robbery.

Using ONSTAR, Police will know all movements and where to catch the criminals, Once the person reports the stolen vehicle, they locate the car via satellite immediately, then they will be able to put the engine to a complete stop, this is a great help for vehicle recovery, but people also have to put their part.

May 2009

ISSUE: 5 H1N1 cases in Nevada, 2 in Clark County

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 05/05/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: Clark County has been added to the long list at National Level where there are reports of H1N1 flu virus.

Today the Health District announced that a 39-year woman and a 11 year old kid tested positive to the flu.

According to the information, both have not traveled outside the USA or any other started in the last month, and there is no bond between the two.

The School District representative said she has no plans of shutting down the school where the kid attends, but they will keep monitoring all the students and will be in contact with the health District directives.

Besides the 5 confirmed cases, there are other possible cases in Nevada with results still waiting to be confirmed.

ISSUE: MATT KELLY School offers health center.

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 05/08/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: MATT KELLY School is equipped with the only health center inside an educational institute in the entire Clark County.

Students will be able to be checked, or if they need medicine or ER, but primarily there will be illness evaluations.

All the equipment and medicines were donated; the pediatricians of Nevada University Medicine Faculty will offer their services free of charge.

The services will only benefit the students of the school for now, but in the future, it will be implemented for the surrounding areas, and this project could also expand to other schools in the Valley.

ISSUE: Protest against Gibbons

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 5/29/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: Dozens of residents gathered in front of the Federal Government office in Las Vegas to complain about governor Jim Gibbons.

The protests was also attended by unions and demanded a cease to state budget cuts, but the main topic was education.

The concern of local Nevadans is that Gibbons is not working for the community, and needs to start taking much needed action.

The education funds are being cut and the remaining is much less, that the community as a whole will suffer.

June 2009

ISSUE: State to reimburse money

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 06/04/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: The Nevada Treasury Department has 339 millions in properties that belong that people that have not reclaimed or simply forgot they had it.

The money comes from banks, insurance companies and public services of any business, that owe money to their clients, and for one reason or another were not able to give it back.

There are 2 ways of finding out if you have unclaimed money, log on to nevadatreasure.gov, and type in your name and last name and where you live.

The other way is calling directly, there will be Spanish assistance, and if you indeed have money, will fill out a form and in less than 90 days you will get the check by mail.

People must also show ID, and SS card.

ISSUE: Construction Permit Campaign

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 06/07/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: Clark County is promoting a campaign to have homeowners the right permits before doing any modifications or constructions to their homes.

A lot of homeowners do these modifications without permits, and the issues is that most of the times, it is not up to code with Clark County and there could be consequences like electric problems, water pollution, structure collapse, etc.

For those who did not followed the rules, the county is giving an amnesty until September 1, pay the permit and avoid fines that could go up to \$60,000.

If changes have been done, you must present a print of it, and then a county inspector will go and verify the construction, the cost for permits depend on the changes being done.

ISSUE: Mandatory OSHA classes

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 06/15/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: Governor Jim Gibbons signed a law that requires every construction supervisor and employee to take classes on accident prevention. Supervisor must complete a course of 30 hours; the employees will do 10 hours. According to the new law, all construction employees must present their certificate of completion before January 2010; otherwise they could either be suspended or fired. Employers who do not follow the new legislation can also be sanctioned with fines and have their licenses revoked. OSHA and the workers union are offering classes in Spanish, free of charge.

ISSUE: Mediation to stop foreclosures.

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 06/18/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: Supreme Court Chief is working on mediation between the homeowner and the banks that in process of foreclosure, it's a new law that Gibbons have signed and will take place on July 1.

This new law will apply only to people who are in risk of losing their homes starting on July 1, when the homeowner receives a notification of foreclosure will also receive a notice from the Nevada court informing that they have 30 days to ask for a court mediation, the Court will set a date and will have a meeting between the homeowner and the bank to reach a voluntary resolution, be it a loan modification or continue with the foreclosure process.

It's also urged that for people who do not speak English to bring a translator, the court could also provide one for a fee of \$200.

ISSUE: "LIFE SAVER" Plan, health plan for the Culinary Union

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 6/22/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: The denominated "Life Saver" plan has been put in place after 10% of the culinary union members has lost their jobs or only work part time due to the economic crisis.

The plan is targeted for people that have lost the eligibility of a health plan, after the 4-month lay off period, this will benefit the affected members, the cost is \$75 a month, and will cover the family and the member.

The direct beneficiaries are people who lost their coverage from January 1, be it because they were laid off or their hours were cut.

ISSUE: FREE FOOD Summer Program

Program: Conteo de Noticias **Date:** 6/23/09 **Time:** 6pm & 11pm **Segment:** 1

Description: 3SQUARE is offering free food for the kids of low income families, this is a very important aid given the economic situation Nevadans are facing and specially for people that don't know what to do with their kids in summer that are not attending classes.

To enroll their kids, parents will have to show information about their income and proper documentation of their children.

3SQUARE currently has 8 office in Southern Nevada, and each week, 5 thousand kids receive free breakfast and lunch.

This program is funded thanks to local private entities and foundation donations.